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Voters Against Proposed School Mill Increase

Voters in Hope School District 1A turned back a proposed five mill tax increase Saturday by a lopsided vote of 468 to 245. The tax would have raised the school district tax from 35 to 40 mills.

The turnout of 713 voters was something of a record for school balloting, at least in recent years. Three board members, all opposed, were elected — Sam McGill of Fulton and Dick Watkins and Mrs. Frank King of Hope.

In Hope the vote for 435 to 233 against and in Fulton it was 37 against to 12 for.

The vote clearly indicated that the public favored equalization and increasing assessments over a tax hike as the method for raising more money.

In two other districts in Hempstead millage increases failed.

At Patmos a proposed three mill hike was defeated by a vote of 14 to 7. And in District 3, Clow and Columbus, area, the proposed three mill increase was defeated 29 to 26.

British Doctor to Trial for Slayings

By JAMES F. KING

LONDON (AP) — Dr. John Bodkin Adams, accused of killing three rich patients out of greed, today pleaded innocent as he went on trial for murder.

The 58-year-old society doctor read a Bible in his prison cell before being taken to historic Old Bailey court for the trial which has intrigued the nation.

Adams is charged specifically with murdering Mrs. Edith Alice Morrell, elderly eccentric widow. The prosecution claimed at a preliminary court hearing she was only one of his victims.

The doctor was accused of turning the 81-year-old widow into a drug addict while slowly poisoning her in 1950.

Missing Boy Scouts Are Safe, Sound

GATLINBURG, Tenn. (UP) — Three Boy Scouts, missing since late yesterday in the picturesque Great Smoky mountains, were found safe but shivering cold today.

Rangers of the Great Smoky Mountain National Park found the boys huddled beneath a shed outside a small lodge atop towering Mt. Leconte, one of the nation's most picturesque natural sights.

Victor Thorne, 13; Jimmy Grubbs, 12, and Mike Harmon, 11, Scout Troop 94, wandered off the Appalachian trail yesterday while hiking with fellow scouts. An all-night search failed to turn them up and by dawn a force of 75 men using walkie-talkie radio, was scouring the fog-shrouded peaks.

Chief Ranger C. E. Johnson announced at 7:45 a. m. that the boys were found atop Mt. Leconte on the Tennessee side of the Smokies. The boys had followed a trail up the mountain and apparently too weary to move a step further, collapsed and went to sleep outside a small lodge which had been constructed for travelers on the mountain top.

Johnson said the boys apparently could have gone into the lodge to escape the weather, which went into the twenties during the night. They must have been just too tired.

He said they were rather thinly clad in blue jeans but apparently came out of the experience without harm.

The boys, joined by overjoyed parents, were taken home to Greenville for food and rest.

J. E. Quillin, 52, Succumbs in Local Hospital

Julius E. Quillin, aged 52, longtime resident of Hempstead, died in a local hospital early Monday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Della May Quillin, a son Weaver of Malven, two daughters, Mrs. Willie Sheppard of Patmos and Mrs. Tim Duckett of Hope; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Quillin of Hope; four brothers, Lloyd of Buckner, Roy of Ft. Worth, Texas, Opal and Orville Quillin of Hope; four sisters, Mrs. Roy Burns of Patmos, Mrs. Walter Godwin and Mrs. Morris Davis of California and Mrs. Hillery Foster of Pennsylvania.

Funeral services will be announced by Herndon-Cornelius.

Emmet Worker Hurt in Accident

James Hill, Emmet, was reported to be in a satisfactory condition in a Texarkana hospital following an eye operation Saturday afternoon. Hill sustained an injury while working on a construction job on U. S. Highway 67 near Emmet.

Foreigners Criticize U.S. Residents-Both Sexes

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — An Englishman will tell you what's wrong with American women.

A Frenchman will tell you what is wrong with the American male. But only a Hungarian would feel certain he knew what was wrong with both the American husband and his kitchen.

"There is no doubt of it," said Gyula Denes. "The trouble with the American male is that he is sex-conscious but loveless. The trouble with the American woman is just the opposite—she is love-conscious but sexless."

Denes, a former Budapest playwright, turned to the study of psychology after coming here in 1939. He attracted wide interest in medical and educational circles by writing an producing a series of 200 "psychograms" in which trained actors graphically portrayed the symptoms of varying mental dis-



DIRTY WORD? — "Gus, the Talking Bus," is getting its face washed, but is not having its mouth washed out with soap at Atlanta, Ga. A well-spoken vehicle, the transit system bus is equipped with a tape-recorded device that gives out with safety slogans every time the doors are opened. It's an unusual experiment designed to make riders safety conscious when they step off the vehicle and once more become pedestrians. — NEA Telephone

Torrential Rains Hit Texas Towns

By The Associated Press

Torrential rains and winds of hurricane force lashed the Texas Gulf Coast yesterday. At least one person drowned when heavy rains flooded streets and highways and a tornado injured several persons in the Galveston area.

More than 10 inches of rain fell at Texas City, where every street was flooded for a time by knockdowns in low-lying sections.

Winds up to 80 miles per hour knocked down power poles, unroofed homes and cut off telephone and electric service at several towns in Galveston County.

The rains, however, began tapering off along the coast early today.

Twisters also were reported yesterday at Houston and near San Antonio. Lighter rains fell over most of east Texas and hail fell at San Antonio and Bryan.

James J. Simpson, 45, of Texas City, drowned when his car went out of control on a rain-covered highway and careened into a culvert filled with more than five feet of water.

Yerger Wins Library Poster Contest

The announcement today of winners in two divisions of a county-wide poster contest for school children opened the Hempstead County Book Fair.

The winner in the High School division, grades 7 to 12 is a poster from Yerger High School made by Marj Walker, Louise Essex and Joyce Criner. Honorable mention goes to Kenneth Yocom, Spring Hill High School.

The winning poster in the Elementary Division, grades 4-6 — was made Mary Ann Bealy of the sixth grade, Brookwood Elementary School. Honorable mentions go to Carolyn Hatfield, Brookwood; Calvin Grigsby, Shover Street Elementary School; Rose Ann Williams, Paisley; and Becky Willis and Jean Page of Garland.

Special Honorable Mention goes to an oversize poster from Paisley made by Rose Ann Williams, Linda Calhoun, Kay Messer and Paddy Davis.

Results of Elections in Schools

By The Associated Press

Candidates who favor a plan for gradual school integration won victories in Saturday's school board elections at Little Rock and North Little Rock.

Wayne Upton and Henry V. Rath gained places on their Little Rock boards over Robert Ewing Brown and George P. Branscum. At North Little Rock Byron R. Bogard won re-election, defeating segregationist Jon G. Cooper.

But at Hoxie, where school integration in 1955 resulted in court appeals which have not yet ended, the picture was different.

Enos Nicholas, an avowed segregationist, won re-election to the Hoxie School Board, over A. C. Cates.

Hoxie voters also turned down a proposed millage increase.

A Negro candidate for school directorship ran last in a 8-man race at Hot Springs. W. C. Nolan, first Negro to seek a school board seat in the Hot Springs area, in several years, got 291 votes. The winner was Dale H. Cook with 1,442 and David E. Hurst was runner-up with 480.

Voters of District 6 of Hot Springs approved an \$850,000 bond issue for construction of a new junior high school raising their millage levy from 40 to 48.

Tax millage increased also were approved at Sheridan, Prattville, Morrilton, Dardanelle, Mayflower and Benton. Stuttgart voters approved a 33-mill school tax levy and Fordyce voters supported retention of the 40-mill rate in District 39.

At Pangburn, a proposed 75-mill tax for school construction was rejected.

Pine Bluff voters overwhelmingly approved a school bond issue of \$150,000. This was added to an issue approved earlier for a total of \$1,125,000, with no tax increase. Irony marked an election at El Dorado where Lee Roy Beasley, chairman of the Governor's Advisory Committee on Education, lost his bid for a school post.

New Trial for 4 Convicted in Slaying

By LEON HATCH

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court in a 5-2 decision, today set aside death sentences imposed on four young Negroes for the robbery slaying of an elderly white man near Texarkana last year.

The prevailing opinion said that the convictions should be reversed because the trial judge improperly admitted testimony concerning a similar but non-fatal attack by two of the defendants on another man several days later.

Two of the court's seven justices said the conviction should be reversed on another ground, and two others dissented and said the convictions should be affirmed.

The four Negroes — James Moore, James Boyd, both 18, Rogers Boone, 24, and Willie Byrd, 19, — were found guilty of first degree murder and sentenced to death in the electric chair by a Miller Circuit Court jury for the fatal robbery at a ham in a \$10 robbery on May 9, 1956.

Today's decision means that the four will have to be re-tried.

The prevailing 13-page opinion, written by Associate Justice George Ross Smith, said that the most serious question in the case is whether the court erred in permitting the state to prove that two of the defendants, Boone and Boyd, assaulted and robbed another

Film to Show Danger of Brucellosis

"The Triple Threat of Brucellosis," a USDA sound film showing the dangers and action of the disease is now available for showing in Hempstead County. Any neighborhood or community groups of livestock owners and interested individuals may arrange for an early showing by contacting County Agent, Oliver L. Adams. The purpose of the film is to stimulate sentiment for Brucellosis work in Hempstead County that will eradicate the disease and qualify the county as a Modified Certified Free area.

Trouble Spots to Be Visited by UN Group

By WILBUR G. LANDREY

CAIRO (UP) — United Nations officials left today by plane for the troubled spots of Gaza and Sharm El Sheikh where Egyptian newspapers warned that shuffles may be resumed at any moment.

Dr. Ralph Bunche, assistant U. N. secretary general, and Maj. Gen. E. L. M. Burns, head of the U. N. emergency forces, were flying first to Gaza and then to the former fortress on the Gulf of Aqaba.

The U. N. announced that the UNEF now has established 18 outposts along the Israel-Gaza demarcation line as Egyptian police and civilian administrators took over administration duties from the international force.

They planned to fly to Sharm El Sheikh this afternoon amid reports that Israel will soon send a ship through the Gulf of Aqaba to test Egypt's reaction.

There were no Egyptian troops along the straits of Tiran where Egyptian guns once commanded the passage. Only a unit of U. N. Finnish troops stands guard.

Vaccination for Bang's to Get Underway

The spring vaccination of heifer calves for Bang's Disease or Brucellosis will get underway in Hempstead County on Friday, March 22, announced County Agent, Oliver L. Adams, today.

All heifers, four to eight months of age, are eligible for the service provided at no cost to the owner. The owner of any number of animals of the proper age, advises County Agent Adams, that the service is desired. The County Agent groups the farms with such animals for convenience in travel and time, and advises the owner, the date and time the vaccinator will be at the farm. The vaccinator provides and administers the vaccine, tattoos, tags and issues a certificate for each animal vaccinated. The owner confines and holds each animal for this service.

This spring is the first time that the numbered tags, orange in color, and the certificate has been used in Hempstead County. The certificate signed by the owner and vaccinator will be recognized in the movement of vaccinated cattle under existing State and Federal Laws. The vaccinators are representatives of the Animal Disease Eradication Branch, Agricultural Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture, and the Arkansas Livestock Sanitary Board.

Owners of dairy and beef heifers of Bang's Disease vaccination age are urged to advise County Agent Adams at the earliest convenient date. The schedule will be built for the convenience of cattle owners as far as possible.

Former Resident of Hempstead Dies in Texas

Floyd Collins, of Kilgore, Texas, died at his home Sunday. He was a former resident of Hempstead County.

Survivors include a brother, Bill Collins of Hope.

Funeral service will be held at Kilgore with burial at Anderson Cemetery, near Spring Hill Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Legion Honors State Commander Tonight

American Legion members and wives will meet tonight at 7 o'clock at the Elks building for a banquet honoring the State Commander, Elmer A. Lovell and other officials.

Also on the program will be short talks by charter members of the Hope post. Every member is urged to attend by Commander Cecil Weaver.

Probers to Get Tax Returns of Labor Leaders

By HERBERT FOSTER
and JOHN A. GOLDSMITH

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower authorized the Senate Rackets committee today to examine income and other tax returns of any individual it is investigating.

The authorization, covering returns since 1945, was granted by the President under regulations governing the inspection of returns by congressional committees.

The White House said the authorization was requested by the special Senate committee investigating alleged links between the Teamsters union, racketeers and politicians in Portland, Ore.

The authorization covers inspection of income, excess profits, estate, gift, and capital stock returns.

Any information obtained by the committee is confidential, the White House said, but the committee may report information pertinent to its investigation to the Senate.

The special committee headed by Sen. John L. McClellan (D-Ark) has not disclosed why it wants to use the tax information. But, among other things, it is in-

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Teacher Pay Average Boosted by Ford

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The average Arkansas teacher can expect a salary of \$3,150 during the 1957-58 school year, according to state Education Commissioner Arch Ford.

This would be an increase of \$12 over the present average of \$2,238.

Ford mentioned the new figure at a meeting of the Board of Education here yesterday. The 1957-58 budget of the Education Department was drafted at the meeting and was scheduled to be approved formally today.

Legislative passage of Gov. Orval Faubus' tax increase program made possible an average \$810 increase in salaries, Ford said, and local aid resulting from the property tax reassessment program should add another \$12 to pay checks.

The state budget will earmark \$32,300,000 in minimum aid to teachers, \$12,740,000 more than was approved for the current school year.

Garcia, Friend of U. S., Heads the Philippines

By DONALD E. HUTH

MANILA (AP) — Vice President Carlos P. Garcia took over the reins of government today as the Philippine nation and the free world mourned the plane-crash death of President Ramon Magsaysay.

Garcia flew in from the SEATO conference in Australia several hours after Magsaysay's charred body was found in the wreckage of his plane on a Cebu Island mountainside.

The 60-year-old vice president took the oath of office as fourth president of the Philippine Republic before Chief Justice Ricardo Paras. He will serve until after next November's presidential elections, which now promise to be a wide-open fight.

A staunch supporter of Magsaysay's foreign policy, Garcia is expected to continue the late President's aim of strengthening American-Philippine friendship.

Magsaysay, 49-year-old champion of democracy and bitter foe of communism, perished early yesterday when his twin-engine plane crashed in dense jungle just after leaving Cebu for Manila.

Only one passenger, a Philippine newspaperman, survived the crash, which claimed the lives of 20 persons, including several top government officials and educators, several Philippine newsmen and members of Magsaysay's staff. The President was returning from giving two commencement speeches in Cebu.

A close guard was placed around the wreckage as officials made clear they had not ruled out the possibility of Communist sabotage. As defense secretary, Magsaysay had wrecked the Communist Huk rebel movement in the infant island republic.

Messages of condolence poured in from abroad to the Philippine government, Magsaysay's widow and their three children.

From aboard the cruiser Canberra, President Eisenhower in a statement said the people of the Philippines, the United States and the entire free world have lost a valiant champion of freedom.

Magsaysay, he added, will be greatly missed in the fight against communism.

M. G. Hansford Is Buried Sunday

M. G. Hansford, aged 84, a resident of Glenwood, died Saturday in a Hot Springs rest home. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday at Holly Grove, near Hope.

Israel Looks to U. S. to Curb Egyptian Moves

By WARREN ROGERS JR.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Israel's Foreign Minister Golda Meir took to Secretary of State Dulles today an urgent plea for U. S. action to curb Egyptian moves before war erupts in the Middle East again.

The conference was the goal which she sought in a hurried flight from Jerusalem over the weekend.

Accompanying her were three aides, bearing big envelopes and stuffed brief cases. They include Israel's Ambassador Abba Eban; Minister Reuven Shiloah; and Gideon Rafael, a member of Israel's United Nations delegation.

Dulles arrived back in Washington yesterday from the Far East. He held immediate consultations with top aides on the Egypt-Israel crisis and set up today's meeting with Mrs. Meir.

Mrs. Meir flew from Jerusalem in a dramatic bid for American support. She arrived yesterday at the same airport and almost at the same time as Dulles, back from the Far East but they never met.

Dulles closeted himself with aides for a couple of hours, then authorized an announcement that he would see Mrs. Meir today. The time was not announced.

Mrs. Meir made her flight after Egypt's President Gamal Abdel Nasser ordered Egyptians to take back control over the Gaza Strip from United Nations forces which had replaced withdrawing Israeli troops. This, plus Egyptian talk about re-imposing the Suez Canal and Gulf of Aqaba blockades against Israeli shipping, ran counter to Israeli assumptions on which the withdrawal was based.

I am quite convinced," Mrs. Meir told reporters at the airport yesterday, that with the Egyptians in the Gaza Strip we have

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Legislators, AHC to Try for Accord

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Highway Commission will meet with a group of state legislators here Thursday in an attempt to reach accord on a highway appropriations bill.

Plans for the meeting were announced by Marcus Halbrook, director of the Legislative Council.

A special session of the General Assembly will have to be called to pass the measure, but Gov. Orval Faubus has declared he will not issue a call until disputes over the highway measure have been settled.

A source close to the governor, who requested that his name be withheld, has said that a special session call is planned March 25.

The necessity of another session arose when the House and Senate adjourned since the last Thursday and left the huge appropriation measure dangling.

A split between the two houses over the bill reached an impasse just before the regular session ended. Some last-minute amendments tacked on by the House were rejected by the Senate and the lower chamber refused to recede from the amendments.

The special session, which could be as short as three days, will have to be called in time for the Highway Department to get its \$64 million dollar appropriation by July 1, the start of a new fiscal year.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Three registrants have received orders from the local Selective Service Board to report for induction into the armed services March 27. They are LeRoy Cleghorn, Selmer Franklin Smith and William Fay Avery.

Some 40 persons were killed on Arkansas highways during February. . . . Hempstead had six accidents investigated but no fatalities. . . . Howard reported three accidents with one fatality. . . . Lafayette six accidents and Nevada one with no deaths.

The record shows that during December there were 25 marriages and two divorces in Hempstead and 30 births and 15 deaths. . . . cancer claimed four victims, heart disease five pneumonia one and the rest from other causes. . . . Nevada county reported 12 marriages, two divorces, 11 births and 12 deaths.

Junior Garden Clubs of Texarkana will hold a flower show at the Hotel from 1 to 5 p. m. Sunday, April 7 and invites Hope friends to attend.

The Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a. m. Monday, High 71, Low 42, precipitation 1.52 inches. Total March precipitation 3.13 inches. Total rainfall for year 16.77 inches.

Arkansas — Mostly cloudy this afternoon with a chance of widely scattered showers; partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; somewhat cooler tonight.

By The Associated Press

	High	Low	PCT
Little Rock	58	48	1.57
Miami	82	68	2.5
Memphis	68	51	3.6
Chicago	63	51	3.6
Los Angeles	40	35	—
Seattle	57	50	—
New York	61	34	—

EXTENDED FORECAST
Arkansas (Monday - Saturday) — Temperatures will average four to eight degrees above normal. Normal maximum 65, normal minimum 43. Little change except brief cooling Tuesday and again about Friday. Precipitation moderate to heavy in showers mainly in latter part of week.



Israel Looks to

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returned to the same situation that we had before Oct. 29. That was the date Israel attacked Egypt last fall, reporters noted. Die that mean she was asked, that Israel would fight again if Egypt assumed what Israel regarded as too much authority in Gaza.

"I can't say at this time," she replied. Dulles booked a busy day besides seeing Mrs. Meit and catching up on Middle East developments during his 11-day absence in the Far East, he arranged afternoon appearances before the House Foreign Affairs and Senate Foreign Relations committees.

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crusier by motor launch for the services.

After the services, Eisenhower had dinner in the enlisted men's mess with 50 sailors, chosen to represent all of the Canberra's 20 divisions.

Rulings in State Supreme Court

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court today handed down these decisions:

Herbert Brewer and others vs. Leslie Howell and others, appeal from Lawrence Chancery Court, modified and affirmed.

M. D. Turnage vs. W. E. Matkin, Woodruff Chancery Court, affirmed.

Emile Baker vs. Kansas City Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Greene Circuit Court, reversed and remanded.

Jack Tar of Arkansas vs. A. W. Johnson Co., Garland Chancery Court, modified and affirmed.

James Moore and others vs. State, Miller Circuit Court, reversed.

Missouri Pacific Transportation Co. vs. Vesta Jewell Guthrie, Johnson Circuit Court, affirmed.

W. Ray Bowen vs. Jewell Hewitt, Pike Chancery Court, affirmed.

Aaron Higgs vs. Curtis Higgs, Pulaski Chancery Court, reversed.

Dafton Bailey vs. City of Little Rock, Pulaski Chancery Court, affirmed.

Police in Sweden are following in using helicopters to check out the plan of United States police to monitor traffic violators.



DOGHOUSE DE LUXE—"Mitzie" the spaniel makes you think of the old lady who lived in a shoe as she contemplates her "doghouse" of open-toed design, with insulated walls and an attached welcome mat. Actually, Mitzie's modernistic abode is an insulating blanket, made at General Electric's Coxsack, N.Y., plant, for an Air Force instrument used in tracking gunnery targets.

Prescott News

Mrs. Williams Entertains

One of the loveliest parties of the season was the dessert bridge given by Mrs. A. Williams at her home on Wednesday evening.

Potted hyacinths, arrangements of jonquils and violets were placed at vantage points in the rooms.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Mark Justiss and the cut prizes by Mrs. Dallas Atkins, Mrs. Saxon Regan and Mrs. C. D. McSwain of El Dorado.

Other guests included Mrs. Frank Gilbert, Mrs. O. G. Hirst, Mrs. A. V. Regnier, Mrs. Jack Robey, Mrs. Guss McCaskill, Mrs. D. L. McRae Jr., Mrs. Archie Johnson, Mrs. Jess Hays, Mrs. Jim Nelson, Mrs. H. H. McKenzie, Mrs. Tom Bemis and Mrs. Clarke White.

A dainty dessert course was served preceding the games.

Cub Scout Den 8 Meets

Cub Scout Den 8 met Wednesday March 13 in the home of Den mother Mrs. Bill Beck.

The meeting was opened with roll call and each boy told of a good deed he had done during the week. A song was sung after which refreshments were served by David Fry to Mike Moore, Mike Garner, Gary and Jerry Beck, Billy Hines, Johnny Redfern and Bill Oliver.

The group varnished blocks for name plates and made kites. The meeting was closed by the sign and the repeating of the Cub Scout Promise.

Presbyterian Men Have Supper

The Men of the Presbyterian Church met on Wednesday night at the church for a chili supper with thirty attending.

Bob Reynolds and Jim Nelson had charge of the program and conducted an interesting Bible quiz. The devotional was given by Mr. Nelson.

Vernon Buchanan, Al Daniel and E. Drince served on the menu committee.

R. T. Murry has returned from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended a Gulf Wholesale meeting.

Lt. and Mrs. James Edward Duke and Jane Elizabeth left Wednesday for his new assignment at McElland AFB, Sacramento, California after a two weeks visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stockton and Mrs. Roy Duke.

Miss Lillie Butcher is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Lionberg and friends in Fort Smith.

Mrs. O. G. Hirst and Mrs. C. D. McSwain returned Wednesday from Hot Springs where they attended a home party in the home of Mrs. Bill Burrows on Lake Catherine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shipp spent Wednesday in Little Rock where they purchased flowers and gifts for their new shop, Prescott Flowers and Gifts.

Mrs. Emmette Parham and son, Gordon, and Mrs. Helen Ford of Benton were the Wednesday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Rules Board Can't Hire Their Wives

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court today directed that officials of the racially-troubled Hoxie School District be enjoined from hiring their wives as teachers without procurement of petitions signed by patrons as required by law.

With this modification, the Supreme Court affirmed a ruling of Lawrence Chancery Court which had denied a group of school district residents, headed by segregationist spokesman Herbert Brewer, most of the relief sought in a suit against the Hoxie School board.

The case is one of several which developed after the Hoxie district integrated its schools in 1955.

In another suit, the federal courts have enjoined groups and individuals favoring segregation of the schools.

In the case decided today, Brewer and his fellow plaintiffs sought, among other things, recovery of salaries to some school directors' wives who were employed as teachers and recovery of money paid to lumber company operator . . . Vance, whose son was a board member.

The chancery court rejected the pleas on these points, but ordered the School board to meet with the plaintiffs, something the latter said the board had refused to do.

The Supreme Court said there was nothing illegal in the circumstances under which money was paid to Vance. The court said also that the law did not prohibit employment of directors' wives by the district, but pointed out that before this could be done petitions signed by a specified percentage of school patrons were supposed to be filed. The court said the law imposed no penalty for neglect of this procedure, but ordered that it be followed hereafter.

In the unanimous opinion written by Chief Justice Carlton Harris, the Supreme Court rejected a contention of the school board that the case should have been barred because Brewer and his associates did not come into court with "clean hands."

The court noted the board's contention that the suit was filed to intimidate it and coerce it into establishing.

"While it may be true," the court said, "that the integration issue stirred the feelings of the inhabitants of the district and caused them to look into school matters with more scrutiny than heretofore, we find no merit in the contention."

"Violations of law, as herein mentioned, had occurred. Efforts to meet with the board members had failed and there were bona fide reasons for instituting the suit."

A new trial was ordered in the suit of Emily Baker, H. L. Houston and First National Bank of Paragould against the Kansas City Fire and Marine Insurance Co. for recovery on an insurance policy. The plaintiffs sought \$2214.35 plus penalty, interest and attorneys' fees.

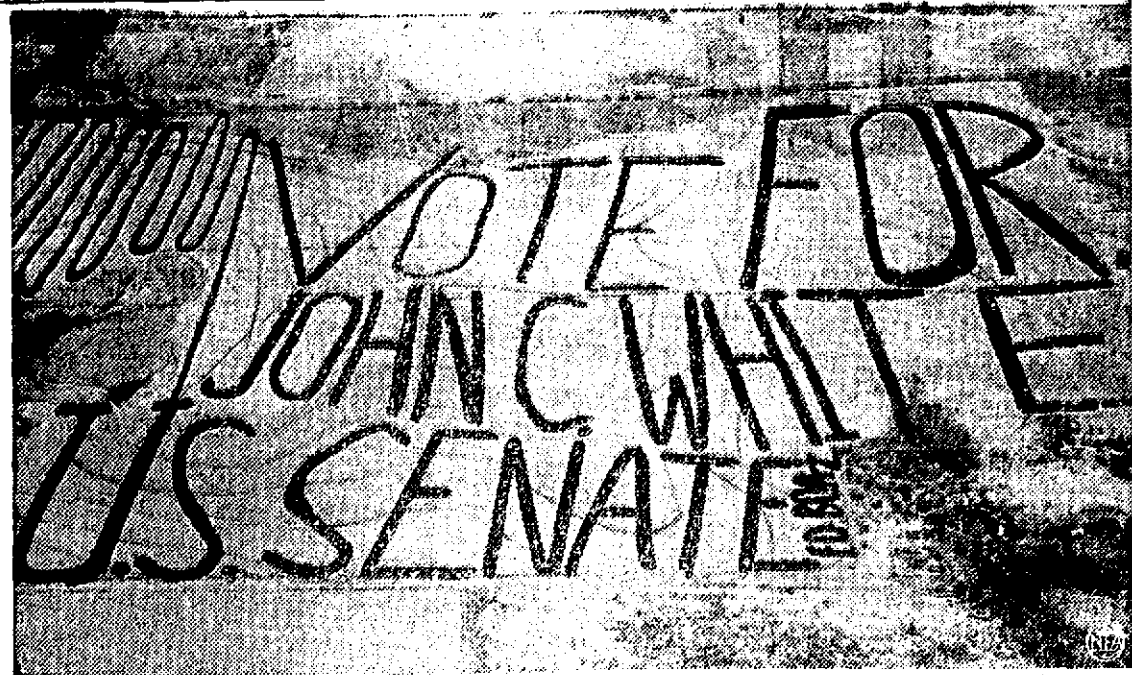
Greene Circuit Court allowed only \$885.74 but the Supreme Court said that the trial court erred in ruling that the insurance company was liable only for a pro rata part of the alleged loss.

C. G. Gordon.

Mrs. Lester Brown returned Wednesday from several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taryin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bright had as their Wednesday guests, Mrs. Ray Parham and daughter, Carolyn of Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Tye announce the arrival of a daughter on March 13 at the Cora Donnell Hospital.



FLOWMAN'S POLITICKING—Farmer Ed Boaz wanted folks to vote for John C. White for the U.S. Senate, so he inscribed this message across 200 acres of cultivated land on his farm 17 miles north of Abilene, Tex. Using a 14-foot disc harrow, it took him a full day. He even signed his name, over at the right.



HOW'S THE LOCATION?—Chester Tooko, 52, might have answered a real estate advertisement in Hamburg, Germany, for "an attractive cottage with phenomenally low-heating costs." Actually, Tooko has stuffed himself into the tiny doghouse as a gag for a Hamburg variety theater, a stunt he does for each show all week long. "Sniff," his pooch, stands by his doghouse looking grateful for all the space he has.

Only Confusion Over the Budget

By JAMES MARLOW, Associated Press News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP) — No budget in recent years has caused as much confusion as the one President Eisenhower headed Congress 57 days ago. He asked for almost 72 billion dollars, a record for peacetime.

What follows is a quick rundown on the confusion that spread after Eisenhower sent his budget to Congress Jan. 16:

Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey at a Jan. 16 news conference indicated this was the tightest budget the administration could offer. He said:

"I don't think there is anything in sight at the moment that can be done better than is now proposed in this budget but I think we ought to improve it as time goes on."

Almost immediately he made a second statement which seemed, and still seems, contradictory. I think there are a lot of places in this budget that can be cut."

This immediately raised two questions:

1. If this was such a tight budget, as he said, how could it be cut?

2. But, if he thinks it can be cut, why didn't the administration do it?

Several times since Jan. 16 Humphrey has said cuts would

be made but never — although asked by newsmen and Congress — has he said where.

It's extraordinary for a Cabinet officer to say a President's budget can be cut the moment it reaches Congress, and Eisenhower was asked about it at his news conference Jan. 23.

He said there was no difference of opinion between him and Humphrey but he added that, if members of Congress can make cuts, it is their duty to do so.

This added nothing to anyone's understanding, since everybody knows Congress has the duty to cut the budget, if it can. It was about as informative as saying a policeman can arrest people.

Either because of the size of the budget or because Humphrey stimulated them into hoping cuts can be made, businessmen and others have been flooding Congress with demands for reductions. Eisenhower is aware of this.

The demands are coming from Congress too, and particularly from Eisenhower's own Republicans. At his March 7 news conference, Eisenhower showed signs of backing away, suggesting some of the programs he asked money for might be slowed down.

Meanwhile, Percival Brundage, the budget director and before

the one man who should know more than anyone else about what went into the budget, made a statement.

He said he sees little hope for substantial cuts in spending for at least two years.

Things got so whacky that the Democrats in the House — no doubt for political reasons — pulled a switch by asking Eisenhower to tell them where cuts could be made, thus trying to shift responsibility from Congress back to the administration.

A hi news conference yesterday Eisenhower said he had never asked Congress to cut the budget. But he repeated: If Congress could cut, it should cut.

A resort village in the scenic Ozarks, Heber Springs, Arkansas is noted for its famed medicinal springs. Beautiful 10-acre Frauen-thal Park contains seven springs.

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Calendar

Monday March 18

The monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 12 scheduled for March 12 has been postponed until Monday March 18 at 7 p. m. At this time potluck dinner and joint meeting will be held with the American Legion at Legion Hall in honor of State Commander, Lovell.

Circle No. 5 of the Methodist Church will meet Monday March 18 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Lyle McMahen with Mrs. Doyle Reeves and Mrs. Kenneth Witt as co-hosts. Mrs. Sam Hucabee will bring the devotional and Miss Mary Louise Copeland will have charge of the program on "Paul's Letters to the Churches."

Tuesday March 19
The V. F. W. Auxiliary will meet Tuesday March 19 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Mary Keck. All members are urged to attend as nomination and election of officers will be held.

The Jayettes will meet Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Paul McEllan. All members and prospective members are urged to be present.

Thursday March 21
Hope Chapter 328 Order of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday March 21 at 7:30 p. m.

The Jonquil Garden Club will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Karl Zogg, 1508 Pecan. Members are to bring line arrangement. Mrs. J. B. Martin will be associate hostess.

The Daffodil Garden Club will meet Thursday March 21 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Jewell.

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The Azalea Garden Club will meet Thursday March 21 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Sid Rogers with Mrs. J. I. Liebling as associate hostess.

Glanton-Barham Vows Pledged
Miss Mary Elizabeth Glanton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee Glanton of Emmet became the bride of John William Barham, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Barham in an impressive double ring ceremony in the home of the officiating minister, Elder W. E. Thomason of Prescott at 3 p. m. March 2, 1957.

The bride was attired in a light blue suit with navy accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Miss Muriene Faught of Hope was bride's maid, and she wore a pink linen dress and pinned a corsage of pink carnations at her shoulder.

Herman Barham of Emmet served his brother as best man.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 515 East 3rd in Hope where both are employed.

Hospital Notes

Memorial
Admitted: Mr. Floyd Osborn, Hope, Mr. G. L. Thompson, Hope, Mrs. Bill Gunter, Hope, Miss Josephine Flowers, Hope, Miss John Wesley Shirley Jr., Hope, Dr. A. C. Murphy, Hope, Mr. W. T. Bain, Rt. 3, Hope, Mrs. Wayne Russell, Hope, Billy Ray Seal, Hope.
Discharged: Mrs. Sandor Ducey, Washington, Mr. Sherman Aske, McCaskill, Mr. Lee Galloway, Rt. 4, Hope, Mrs. Eita Phillips, Rt. 5, Prescott, Mrs. A. C. Sinyard, Rt. 1, Hope, Floyd Johnson, Columbus, Mr. Floyd Osborn, Hope, Mrs. Jim Stone, McCaskill, Mrs. Haskell Rogers, Hope, Mr. G. E. Stanton, Saratoga, Marshall, Hope, Mrs. W. T. Light, Hope, Mrs. John Wesley Shirley Jr., Hope, Miss Josephine Flowers, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gunter of Hope, announce the arrival of a baby girl March 15th, 1957.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell of Hope, announce the arrival of a baby boy March 18, 1957.

Branch
Admitted: Mrs. Laverne Vines, Shreveport, Miss Betty Sue Hulsey, Washington.
Discharged: Mrs. L. D. Fletcher, Rt. 1, Washington, Benny Mitchell, Blevins, Mrs. Martha Chapman, Daingerfield, Texas, Mr. W. F. Fincher, Hope, Mrs. Jim Rowland and baby girl, Fulton.

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The Mayflower carried two dogs along with the pilgrims from Plymouth to Plymouth.

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Many Actors Believe in Luck Charms

By CHARLES MERCER

NEW YORK (AP)—There's something about the profession of acting that causes many actors to believe in signs and portents and to carry good luck charms. None can explain exactly why.

This came to mind the other day in glancing through the cast of "Walk Down the Hill," a drama about American prisoners of war in World War II which Studio One (CBS-TV) presents tonight.

Playing the role of Shephard Lawton is a young actor named Frank Sutton from Nashville, Tenn. While Frank never was a prisoner of war he can certainly play the role with authority. As Sgt. Sutton of the 592nd Joint Assault Signal Company in World War II he made nine beachhead assaults in the Palau and the Philippines.

Before Frank sailed overseas, he indulged in a sentimental gesture.

Proves Cash Not Everything in Acting

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Richard Widmark, one of the town's more thoughtful actors, makes this observation:

"Last year, my mother and my brother died. When something like that happens to you, you stop and try to figure out what 'your life' is all about."

I know this: I don't want to spend my life doing dull, routine things I don't really believe in. I'm not out to make a pack of money. I'll never be able to use, I might as well do projects that really excite and interest me. I'm proving it by: Acting the Dauphin in "St. Joan," 2 Producing the starring in "Time Limit."

Both projects might be considered chancy by sure-thing players. Take "St. Joan,"

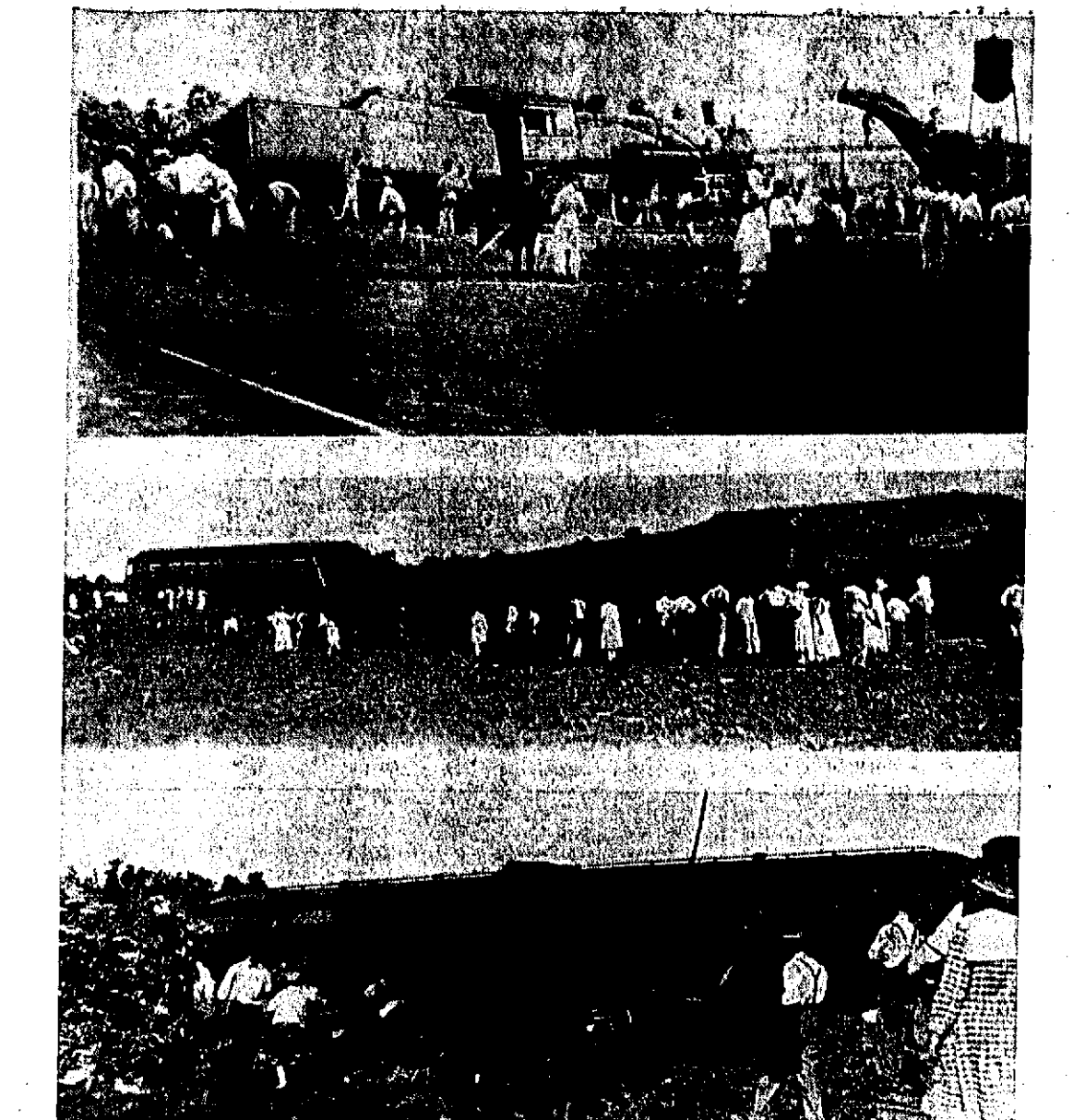
I play a real weasel, he admitted. It's a bit part, really; I did all of my scenes in three and a half weeks and man, am I angry! They shaved my hair and put a wig on top of my head. You know, I have to fight like the dickens to come up to even in the looks department. The way I look in "St. Joan" is real murder. But I was really eager to do the part. I've always liked the role.

Widmark is making his debut as a producer with "Time Limit." How come this is risky because it's a play that drew critical acclaim on Broadway last season, but ran only five months. The plot concerns a brainwashed Army man accused of treason during the Korean War. That subject found little success at the box office with MGM's "The Rack."

I think it's an exciting property," he said. It's intellectual suspense story. I would rather break even with a project like this than make a pile of money on a sure thing.

Most actors start third production companies with westerns, which are rated sure things in this industry. But Widmark observed: There are no sure things any more. You can't be certain what the public will go for these days. So I'd rather go down swinging on an exciting venture than put my effort into something that can't miss.

Pair of Train Wrecks Back in 1918



BACK IN 1918 two train wrecks occurred in this area and the above scenes were snapped by Talbot Field Sr. In the top photo two men were killed in this wreck which occurred right at the depot. You can see what is now the Water and Light Plant building at top right. The two bottom scenes were snapped at the old Chelsea switch siding three miles east of Hope on June 3, 1918. The train was the Missouri Pacific's Sunshine Special. The pictures were brought in by Harry Shiver.

DOROTHY DIX
Pathological Liar's Tales
Turn His Girl Against Him

By The Associated Press

Dear Dorothy Dix: Last year I was in the army, stationed quite a way from home. I met a girl and fell in love with her. We parted, with plans for the future. Then came the trouble. You see, I'm a pathological liar and when she found out that I hadn't always told the truth, she stopped writing. By that time I was fed up with myself and went to a psychiatrist. On his advice, I wrote to her, confessing all, but received no reply. The psychiatrist says the only cure for me is to stop telling them. This I have almost done, but how can I convince the girl?

Dear Dorothy Dix: Margo and I met two years ago when we were freshmen at college. We fell in love and were contemplating marriage. However, she insisted that I join her church, which I couldn't do, as I am a devout communicant of my own faith. Can you suggest any way this problem can be solved?

Dear Anthony: There is no way. Any mixed marriage necessitates compromise on the part of someone. Obviously, you can't be married in two different churches, nor can your children be raised in two faiths. While each of you could pursue his own way of worship, religious education of your children presents an obstacle. Consultation with your clergyman will substantiate my statements.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My boy friend and I had a silly quarrel on the telephone and I hung up on him. I haven't heard from him since. I realize I was at fault. Should I call and apologize or wait until I hear from him?

Dear Cora: It will be many a

ture. Emptying a tiny bottle of cleaning fluid he filled it with American soil and carried it with him. Later he defended the act as the result of his having a highly developed dramatic sense at the age of 19. Later, too, he came to believe in what bottle of soil. The 52nd had it rough. It went ashore on initial assaults, stayed two or three weeks until perimeter and communications were secured, and then was pulled out. Casualties were very high. But Sutton was never scratched.

Before each operation nearly everybody pared down equipment to rifle, ammo and rations. But Frank always found room for that tiny bottle of American soil.

Seeing his name in the cast of tonight's Studio One drama, I asked him about the role.

I've been demoted, he said. No sergeant strips the role I play is that of a light-fingered longer in a P.W. camp in a way I'm the catalyst on the central character.

I asked him whatever became of that little bottle of American soil.

I still carry it around, he said. Will he be carrying it in tonight's drama.

Oh, sure why not?

11 Persons Die Violently in Arkansas

By The Associated Press

At least 11 persons died violently in Arkansas during the week that ended at midnight Sunday.

Traffic accidents took five lives and there were two deaths in plane crashes, two drownings and two fatal shootings.

A University of Arkansas student was injured fatally in an accident on U. S. Highway 71 about five miles north of Mountainburg yesterday.

The victim was W. E. (Billy) Pritchard Jr., 24, of North Little Rock. Another University of Arkansas student, Donald P. Fox, 22, of Bald Knob, was riding in a car driven by Pritchard and was hurt in the accident.

State Police said the car apparently ran off the road, veered back on it and then skidded an over-turn several times. Both men were thrown onto the highway. They were taken to a Van Buren hospital, where Pritchard died several hours later. Fox was in good condition.

Pritchard is survived by his father, W. E. Pritchard Sr., of North Little Rock.

A 51-year-old Negro man was killed near the south city limits of Conway yesterday.

He was Joseph Berry of Conway, whose automobile ran off the road and struck a utility pole. Berry suffered a head injury when he was hurled from the car and died almost instantly.

Sipio Green, 18-year-old Negro, drowned Saturday night when he fell from a horse into Bayou Bartholomew three miles northeast of Star City.

Officers said the youth was trying to cross the stream and ap-

vestigating the personal finances of Teamsters President Dave Beck and other union officials and likely wants to go into their income tax returns.

Meanwhile, the Senate investigators indicated that they have much more information about "Beck's loans" from Teamster funds than Beck disclosed on television.

Beck, president of the 13 million member Teamsters union, said on a TV program (CBS) "Face the Nation" yesterday he borrowed \$300,000 to \$400,000 from the Teamsters' Western conference over the past 15 years without paying interest.

The fast-talking chief of the nation's biggest union declared he had paid all the money back and added loudly, I have one nothing wrong.

Beck also said I am not going to turn my back on Teamster Vice President James R. Hoffa until he has his day in court.

Hoffa, "their apparent" to Beck until his arrest by the FBI last week, has been charged with bribing his way into the secret files of the Senate Rackets investigation committee.

TAIPEI, Formosa — Chen Han Kuang, 79, noted poet in the Chinese classical style and member of the National Assembly, died Saturday.

MOSCOW — Boris Yurev, 68, lieutenant general in the Soviet air force and two-time winner of the Stalin Prize for aeronautics research. His death was announced yesterday.

Camden, Arkansas, founded in 1822, ranks as the leading industrial city in South Arkansas.

New Trial For

Continued From Page One

er man, T. B. Fenwick, five days after the attack upon Hamm.

Smith reviewed previous holding and concluded that in the particular circumstances of this case it was considered that admission of the testimony was an error prejudicial to all four defendants.

The record discloses, he said beyond question that the state undertook to and did prove the Fenwick robbery in every detail and beyond a reasonable doubt. It is fair to say that the proof of the attack upon Fenwick was even more conclusive than that of the attack upon Hamm.

Smith rejected contentions of the defendants to that a confession should not have been admitted in evidence, and a change of venue to transfer the case to another county should have been granted.

He said that newspaper reports of the crime were introduced in support of the petition for a change of venue but that we do not share counsel's opinion that these reports were biased.

In a separate opinion associate Justice E. F. McFaddin said he thought the case should be reversed, not because of the views set out in Smith's opinion but on the ground that the change of venue should have been granted.

He said that public opinion in Miller County was so inflamed that it was impossible for court-appointed attorneys to find anyone who would undertake a survey of the county to determine whether the public thought the defendants could get a fair trial.

He was joined by Associate Justice J. S. Holt in the view that a change of venue should have been granted.

Chief Justice Carleton Harris and Associate Justice Minor Milwee said it was their belief that the convictions and death sentences should have been affirmed. Their dissent, written by Harris, would have permitted the Fenwick testimony as admissible.

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court today granted a new trial for four young Negroes sentenced to death for the robbery-slashing white man near Texarkana.

A court majority said improper testimony had been permitted at the trial of the four — James Moore, James Boyd, Rogers Boone and Willie H. Byrd.

The court denied a re-hearing for Emmett Earl Leggett, whose death sentence for the strangulation slaying of 14-year-old Joe King in Pulaski County was affirmed several weeks ago.

The denial leaves it up to Gov. Orval Faubus to set a date for Leggett's electrocution unless he should grant clemency.

previously lost his balance. Several children witnessed the accident. The body was recovered.

A light plane crashed in a wooded area near Monticello Saturday night, killing Dr. Dewitt Talmadge Black 36, a Crosslet dentist. He was flying alone.

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Meals in Local Schools This Week Listed

Meals to be served in local schools this week:

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Junior-Senior High School

Tuesday — Meal Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, Blue Lake Beans, Biscuits, Grapefruit and Orange Sections, Milk.

Wednesday — Shepherd Pie, Buttered Spinach, Mixed Green Salad, Whole Wheat Muffin, Butter, Peanut Butter Cookie, Milk.

Thursday — Hamburger, Cheese, Chili Beans, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

Friday — Vegetable Soup and Crackers, Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich, Carrot Sticks, Cake Square, Milk.

Junior-Senior High School

Friday — Salmon Croquettes, Buttered Rice, English Peas, Pear and Cheese Salad, Cake Square, Milk.

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Cutbacks in Steel, Copper Bring Caution

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK (AP)—Cutbacks in steel and copper production point up today the changing business scene: consumer spending trends, business caution over inventories, fruition of the big expansion drive started by the Korean war.

World shortages in copper and tight supply in steel sent both industries in quest of added production capacity.

Prices climbed on output climbed. Still more capacity will be added this year and next. Labor peace in copper for more than a year and in steel since last summer helped boost output and lick shortages.

By now the world can reduce more copper than is currently wanted. For the moment anyway, the United States can turn out more of some kinds of steel than the customers want to stock.

The cutbacks so far aren't large, and may even profit the companies.

Steel production, after setting historic records in the first two months of this year, is now retreating toward 90 per cent of rated capacity. But steelmen point out that the most profitable output rate lies somewhere in that neighborhood.

To go above that steel companies usually have to use old and less efficient equipment; they have to delay ordinary shutdowns for needed maintenance; and, therefore, in setting records they may be doing so with expensively turned out steel.

Copper production has been rated down by some firms in two steps, starting last November. But Phelps Dodge, for example, in its latest outlook which will start at the end of this week will be working its mines 22 days out of each 28 and that's still more than a five day week. And savings in overtime pay could make up for some of the decrease in sales and pricing of prices that brought about the production cuts.

That is the production side of the picture, which the steel and copper companies can pretty much determine for themselves.

The sales side demands on their customers, to a large degree manufacturers making goods for the consuming public. And there have been some changes here. While shortages were feared and prices firm or rising, purchasing agents, had incentives to build up inventories of their goods. When supply caught up and prices, in some instances, turned soft, the incentive was to stop building up inventories and even to live off of present ones where feasible. So demand slipped, and fairly speedily.

Consumer buying habits played a major role in this.

Demand for autos and many household appliances hasn't been as frenzied this year as in 1955. Whether a lot of people will get the urge to buy new cars, to update their home equipment, or to build new houses — is the big question now for these consumer goods industries.



NIGHTMARE IN OILS—Mandarin-mustached Italian painter Alberto Trevisan poses beside one of his "demoniac" paintings at the first Italian collective surrealist art exhibit in Rome. Called "The Justice," the painting featured a weird creature symbolizing the injustice that holds the world a prisoner on a leash.



The Rare Adventure by BERNARD FERGUSON

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THE STORY: Arriving in Seknou Allan, and his wife Mollie find a hospitable reception, but a considerable mystery. They came to North Africa as tourists seeking a trace of a famous Barbary pirate reputed to be a Scottish relation. The French commander of the gendarmerie, Captain Billon, has called to see them.

CHAPTER VII

Captain Billon seemed elderly for his rank. His moustache was unclipped and stained with tobacco; there was a gray stubble on his chin. As Allan and Mollie came down the stairs he was standing in that hall with his cap on his head, but he removed it when he saw Mollie.

The wind was out of his sails for only a moment as he found himself being shaken hands with and smiled on; but he pulled himself together and said in French:

I am sorry madam, but have you any permit to be here?

Permit No, Captain. I don't think we need a permit for Seknou. The Consul—

"Hold on a moment, Mollie," said Allan quickly. "The Consul said we weren't to say anything about him knowing."

"Permits are necessary for Seknou," said Billon stolidly.

"Oh, but you must excuse me, Captain Billon. I happen to know that the usual tourist airplane came in and went out on Tuesday, and none of the passengers had permits."

This was a bluff, for Mollie hadn't the slightest idea whether it was true or not; but it worked: up to a point, and Billon was obliged to give a little ground.

"What Madame says is true. The permits are new — a new regulation."

"Really?" asked Mollie. "And was it you who introduced them, Captain Billon? Last night? After dinner?"

Billon's weathered face suddenly broke into a grin.

"No, Madame. This morning, before breakfast."

Mollie laughed outright. Allan's French had long since been outstripped, but he sensed the change of mood and gave a sigh of relief.

"May I suggest, Captain," said Mollie, "that we go and discuss this outside, sitting down comfortably in a chair?"

"The Colonel has no doubt served in British Colonial Territories, and will understand that there are sometimes moments of unrest, when it is undesirable that there should be civilians and perhaps especially foreign civilians in areas which may be the scene of riots."

"I UNDERSTAND. There are going to be riots in Seknou?"

"I got most of that," said Allan. "He thinks there's going to be trouble all over. I gather. Ask him what sort of trouble: is it Arabs against Jews?"

"No, no, no, said Billon, puffing out a cloud of unsavory smoke, when Mollie put the question to him. "There is none of that here."

"This is nationalist trouble," went on Billon.

"Are the Seknougais strongly nationalist?" asked Mollie.

Billon looked at her oddly.

"I have the impression," he said after a long pause, "that you know much better than I do the aspirations of the Seknougais."

Mollie turned to Allan. "Did you get that?"

"He thinks we know more than he does about what these people are after?"

"They looked at each other aware that Billon was looking closely at them both. A native policeman was coming across the garden toward the hotel; they saw him change direction toward them as he spotted Billon."

The policeman arrived and spoke to Billon, who listened, nodded briefly, and got up.

"I am wanted in my office," he said.

"One moment," said Allan, getting up. "Mollie tell him that I give him my word of honor that, whatever he thinks, we know nothing whatever about the aspirations or whatever he called them, of the Seknougais, and that we've got no sort of axe to grind here."

Billon heard her out, and said: "Of course I accept the Colonel's word. I am sorry to have made a mistake, but the Colonel will understand that in my position one hears a great deal of gossip, and war that much it is pure fairy tale. I confess that I have not myself the authority to order you to quit the island; but, with great regret, I shall ask for it by radio this morning, and that should have it by this evening. You can spend tonight here, but I advise you if I may do so—in a friendly way, to be ready to leave by the bus tomorrow. Finally, may I make one request?"

"Of course," said Mollie, looking rather a pig.

"Will you please not talk poli-

Girls School Head Cites Pressure

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Miss Blanche Martin, superintendent of the Arkansas Girls Training School, charged yesterday that pressure from the Saline County Grand Jury forced her to accept the resignation of maintenance manager Curtis Jones.

She said Jones left the institution at Collegeville, near Little Rock, Saturday and she replaced him with Berlin A. Quillen of Saline County.

Miss Martin said the grand jury was trying to get even with Governor Faubus.

The governor's investigation of the school for delinquent white girls led to an investigation by the Saline County Grand Jury last year. Part of his investigation was based on information Jones gave State Police.

Miss Martin, who took over as superintendent after the school's board of directors fired Mrs. Maxine Cogbill, said Jones handed her a letter of resignation when she assumed the post last Dec. 18.

But I didn't want to release him," she said. He was an excellent man. The grand jury was out to get him. He was put on the job by Mr. Faubus and the grand jury wanted to get even with him (the governor).

The U. S. Army Air Force Station at Roslyn, Long Island, is one of the smallest air force bases in the world with only 500 personnel. Yet there have been 68 weddings there since 1932, 42 of them in involving airmen and WAF couples who met on the post.

ties, nor allow anybody else to talk politics to you."

Mollie translated rapidly to Allan. Allan, the soul of honor thought at once of Paleologus and his projected visit, and blurted out, "Pere Paleologus."

"Ah, Pere Paleologus! You can discuss anything with him!" said Billon, grinning again. "But apart from Pere Paleologus and especially, please — he lowered his voice — not with the main-tenance staff."

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NABISCO OREO CREME SANDWICH 7 1/4 Oz. Pkg. 25c

WESSON OIL Quart 69c

WESSON OIL Gallon 2.19

SNOWDRIFT SHORTENING 3 Lb. Can 89c

LUCKY STRIKE TUNA 1/2 Can 27c

LIPTON TEA 48's 67c

LIPTON TEA 1/2 Lb. Box 85c

GAINES DOG FOOD 10 Lb. Bag 1.29

NORTHERN TISSUE 2 Rolls 19c

DERBY PICKLES SMALL SOUR 15 Oz. Jar 23c

EVERBEST PICKLES SLICED DILL 16 Oz. Jar 25c

PILLSBURY CINNAMON ROLLS 2 Reg. Cans 49c

WOODBURY BATH BARS 2 For 29c

PORK CHOPS

Grain Fed Lean Trim CENTER CUT Lb. 59c

GENUINE ROCK CORNISH Game Hens 1 Lb. Box 99c

FANCY ALL MEAT Bologna Sliced Lb. 39c

FRESH SHORE FROSTED FRIED Perch-Cod-Haddock 10 Oz. Pkg. 39c

GRAIN FED LEAN TRIM PORK ROAST Lb. 45c

GEORGIA GOLDEN SHORE SHRIMP Creole 8 Oz. Pkg. 39c

POTATOES 49c

IDAHO 10 Lb. BAG 5c

CABBAGE HARD GREEN Lb. 5c

GRAPEFRUIT

YELLOW ONIONS

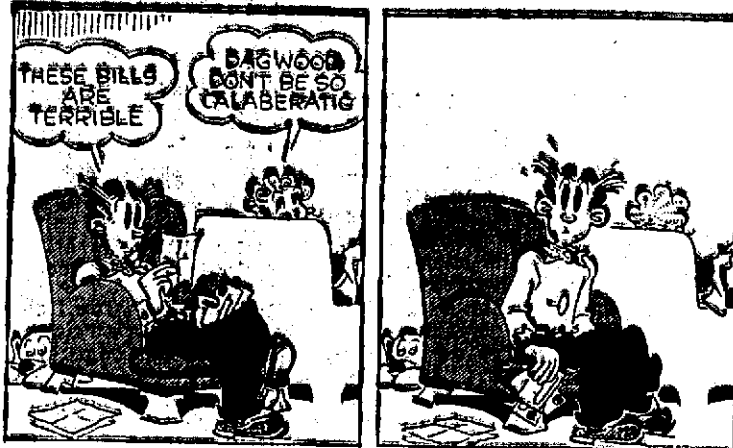
FANCY FLORIDA 8 Lb. Bag 49c

FANCY NEW CROP Lb. 6c

MILK 1/2 gal. 45c

Childs

BLONDIE



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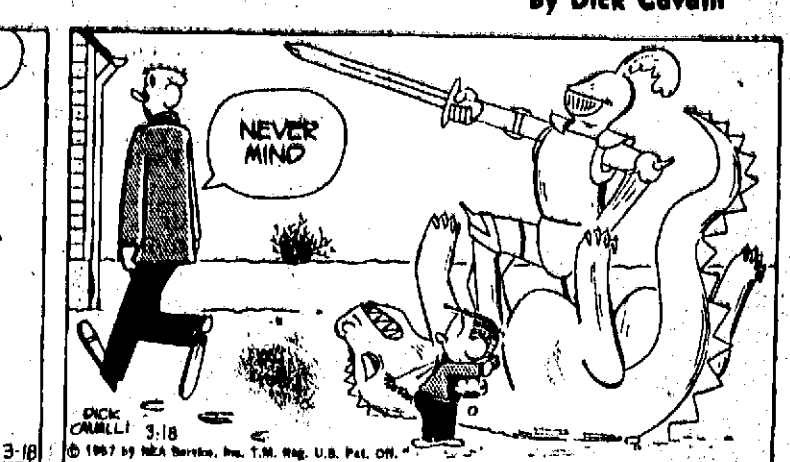
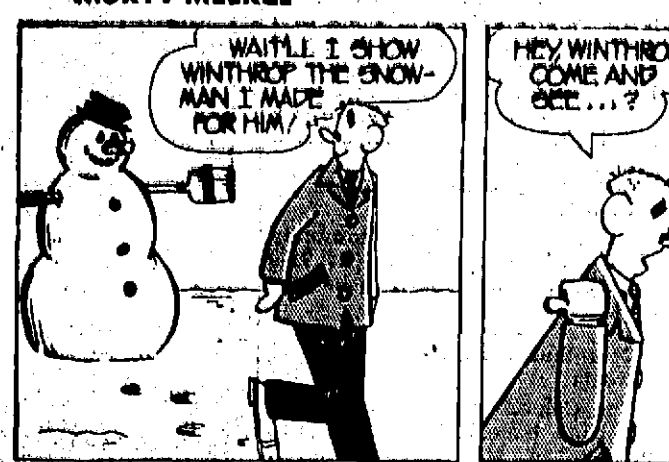
OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



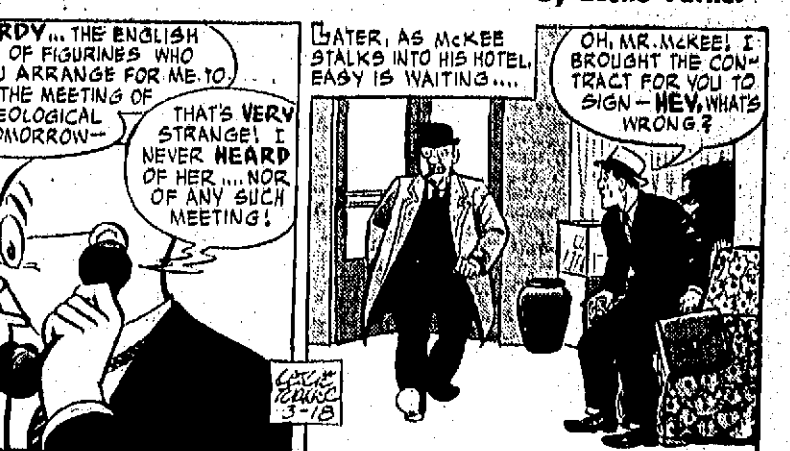
MORTY MEEKLE

By Dick Cavalli



WASH TUBBS

By Leslie Turner



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edger Martin

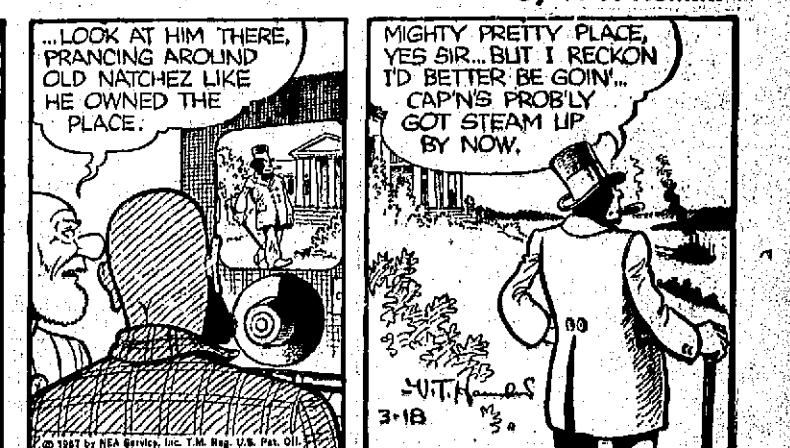


BUGS BUNNY



ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin



PRISCILLA'S POP

By Al Vermorel



THE STORY OF MARTHA WAYNE

By Wilson Scruggs



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



SWEETIE PIE

By Nadine Schaefer



"She wouldn't kiss me good night—just shake hands!"

World Travel

ACROSS

- Japanese city
- of Man
- Harbor, Maine
- Persia
- Principal role
- Fourth Arabian caliph
- Tibetan high priest (2 words)
- Texas hero, Houston
- Thin cuts
- Retribution
- Norse explorer, the Red
- Sorry
- Soak flax
- On water
- London literary street
- Feminine appellation
- Hall
- Occultism
- Retailer of frozen water
- Chicago settlement house
- Created
- Pronoun
- And so forth (ab.)
- Network
- Of heat
- Perfect
- Southern state (ab.)
- Testy
- Cooking vessel
- Ancient Persian
- Money
- Finish

DOWN

- Paradise
- High explosives
- Young goats
- Kind of examination
- Pacific island
- Growing-out
- Sick
- Crippled
- Kinds of cheeses
- Percussion instruments (2 words)
- Soviet mountains
- Edges
- Jewish homeland
- Kind of acid
- United States symbol
- Moslem lands
- Opulent
- Biblical name
- Plateau
- Stage whisper
- Western state
- New Guinea
- Ballad (comb. form)
- Kind of acid
- Arched passageway
- Serious misdeed
- Decree
- Good Hope
- Wolfhound
- Angered
- Black
- Landed
- Camera part
- Oriental coin

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"I keep thinking this is pay day! The wife got up and got my breakfast this morning!"

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbreath



"These glasses are okay. At—they keep the boys from fighting with me and the girls from kissing me!"

